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To: Harry Steinmetz/R3/USEPA/US@EPA
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Subject: letter to EPA re Safety Light.doc

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Mr. Steinmetz:

I apologize for sending you Mr. Kite's August 24th letter without a signature. Please replace "page 2" of the unsigned letter with the "page 2" attached to this email (which includes an electronic signature).

We will mail you another original letter with signature on NMSU letterhead today.

Again, I'm sorry for this oversight and thank you for bringing this to my attention. Please let me know if I can assist you with anything further.

I enjoyed talking with you about the EAKENS family name.

Sincerely,
Lisa

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August 24, 2005

Harry R. Steinmetz (3HS62)
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 3
1650 Arch Street
Philadelphia, PA 19103-2029

Re: Safety Light Corporation Site
Bloomsburg, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Steinmetz:

In response to your letter dated July 21, 2005 regarding the above captioned matter, please accept this correspondence as New Mexico State University's response to the questions raised in your letter. The answers are presented in accordance to the instructions and refer by number to the particular question being answered. If a number is not represented, it is because that particular question is not applicable to New Mexico State University.

1. New Mexico State University has not been able to locate any documentation that shows or establishes a business relationship with any of the companies identified in the July 21, 2005 letter. The institutions license from the U. S. Atomic Energy Commission dated September 3, 1964 does identify a sample of Polonium 210 as being purchased by New Mexico State University from U. S. Radium Corp. (A copy of the license is enclosed.)

2. New Mexico State University never transported and/or brokered hazardous substances and/or radioactive waste or other wastes to any of the companies identified in the July 21, 2005 letter.

4. New Mexico State University never generated radioactive wastes or other wastes that were disposed of or reclaimed by any of the companies or locations set forth in the July 21, 2005 letter.

6. There is no one else able to provide any more detailed information to the questions contained the July 21, 2005 letter.


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7. No one else has documentation that would be responsive to the Information Request.

8. New Mexico State University is unaware of any other party who would have information that may assist the Agency in its investigation.

I trust this information complies with your request. In the event you have any questions or wish to discuss this matter further, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "B. R. Kite", written in a cursive style.

Bruce R. Kite
General Counsel

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Enclosure

cc: Katrina Doolittle Ph.D.